

DEEP GRIEF  
WAS SHOWNThousands Mourn for Late  
Mayor Gaynor of New  
YorkBODY LAY IN STATE  
NEARLY 24 HOURSMeanwhile People in All  
Walks of Life Passed  
Before It

New York, Sept. 22.—The body of Mayor Gaynor was taken at 10:30 this morning from its resting place in the city hall to Trinity church, where Bishop Greer read over it the solemn Episcopal service for the burial of the dead. A standing army of citizens, many thousands strong, greater in number than the throng which gathered on the body as it lay in state yesterday, blackened the sidewalks as the funeral train crept along lower Broadway. The clouds lifted shortly before the long cortege started.

Heading the marchers was a single line of eight mounted police. Behind them were the police band, a regiment of mounted police, then the coffin, with the official flag of the mayor draped over it. The coffin lay 10 feet above the road, on a catafalque whose sombre folds of crepe were unrelieved by color. Sixteen coal black horses, heavy with black trappings, drew the catafalque through the street, flanked on the right by a single file of police and on the left by firemen.

The 12 honorary pall bearers, headed by former President William H. Taft, marched six on either side of the coffin, and behind them were the official committees of the city.

Business was suspended during the funeral; the municipal departments were closed; and the Stock Exchange did not open until noon.

At the city hall yesterday the people came in a continuous stream, silently, to find places in the long, slow-moving line that extended half a mile along lower Broadway and through city hall park.

In the long line were street cleaners in their white uniforms, policemen, firemen and men high in the official life of the city and state, but for the most part the procession was made up from the great so-called middle class. About a fifth of the crowd were women and children and many of the latter carried small wreaths or bouquets of flowers which they placed near the coffin in passing.

At 9 o'clock the police on duty at the city hall estimated that more than 75,000 persons had viewed the body. "It is a remarkable tribute," Mayor Kline said as he viewed the great, silent crowd. "No king, no emperor, ever had a tribute from the hearts of the people paid to him like this great outpouring of citizens to-day. It is a tribute from the hearts of the people."

All Saturday night the police kept guard around city hall park and had difficulty in keeping the crowds moving, as many tried even at an inordinately early hour to get in line to view the body. Three policemen and three firemen, in relief of a half hour, stood rigidly at attention during the night beside the coffin, which was draped in the stars and stripes and the mayor's flag, while beneath could be seen the colors of the union jack, placed there at the request of the Gaynor family in recognition of the courtesy extended by the city of Liverpool upon the arrival of the mayor's body in the city after his death at sea. Crossed branches of palms of victory were the only floral decorations on the cover of the coffin. Those branches were sent by the family. Behind the bier hung the draped picture of Mayor Gaynor.

ADVENTUROUS BOYS  
BUCKED THE POLICEIn Stolen Launch After They Had Been  
Chased About Buffalo Harbor for  
Three Hours.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 22.—A stolen launch, manned by two boys apparently imbued with the spirit of Captain Kidd, gave the police boat a three hours' chase in the river and harbor yesterday. The chase was ended only when the gasoline began to give out. With capture certain, the boys swung their launch toward the pursuing police boat and sent it ahead full tilt. The boats met head-on and the smaller craft was wrecked. The boys were fished out of the river and locked up and to-day must face a charge of theft and their parents will be asked to foot a bill of \$300 damages to the launch.

TWO CONDITIONALLY PARDONED.  
They Had Been Sentenced from Orange  
County Court.

Chelsea, Sept. 22.—Probation Officer Sprague has recently received notice from Gov. Fletcher that he has conditionally pardoned Mrs. Grace E. Cross of Boston, who was at the June term of Orange county court, 1912, convicted of the crime of bigamy and sentenced to not less than three years in state prison at Windsor; also of the conditional pardon of Frank Dickey of Washington, who at the December term of Orange county court, 1911, was convicted of adultery and sentenced to serve a term of not less than three years in state prison at Windsor. Mrs. Cross has returned to Boston, and Mr. Dickey has returned to his former home in Washington and is working for his father-in-law, James Dickey.

Weather Forecast.  
Rain and cooler to-night. Tuesday  
fair and colder, except rain in eastern  
Maine; moderate to brisk shifting winds.

## ALIENIST SEES SCHMIDT.

Not Prepared to Say That Murderer Is  
an Insane Man.

New York, Sept. 22.—Interrogated apparently much against his will, Hans Schmidt, the priest who murdered Anna Amuller and planned other murders and equipped a counterfeiting plant, was examined yesterday by an alienist, Dr. Gustave Scholer, neurologist at the Washington Heights hospital. At the end of an hour's interview Dr. Scholer said he was not prepared to call Schmidt an insane man and would spend more time with the priest before announcing conclusions on his mental state.

Schmidt declared that four members of his family had committed suicide, and that two more had attempted self-instruction the last 10 years. He would not admit that they were unbalanced mentally, however, and his fierce demeanor forced the alienist to frame his question diplomatically.

Schmidt eagerly explained that he was doing humanity a service in committing one murder and planning many others, in selling medicine intended for unlawful uses and in attempting to make counterfeit money. The alienist told him that he probably was the only man living that thought so.

"What does that matter," demanded the priest. "Socrates was executed because the government and the majority of the people thought his ideas were wrong, but after several thousand years the world comes around to his way of thinking. The fact that everyone is against me does not prove that I am wrong. I may be right and they all may be wrong."

ADRIFT FOR HOURS  
IN FRAIL CRAFTArthur P. Homer of Boston Yacht Club  
Has Narrow Escape in  
Bay.

Quincy, Mass., Sept. 22.—After drifting about for several hours in a small open boat in the middle of Massachusetts bay, Arthur P. Homer of Quincy, fleet captain of the Boston Yacht club, reached his home last night suffering from severe burns about the hands, received when his 35-foot power boat, Remond IV, took fire and blew up off the Graves, during a southeast gale late Saturday.

Homer was making the trip from Marblehead to Quincy alone, when opposite the Graves light he noticed his gasoline feed pipe leaking. Before he could repair it, there was an explosion, and the boat was afire from stem to stern.

Until late Saturday night, Homer, suffering severely, drifted about the bay in the small tender. Finally he was picked up in an exhausted condition by the fishing schooner Mary Greer and taken to Provincetown.

## SAYS SYRUP WAS MISBRANDED.

It Was Marked as Shipped from Randolph, Vt.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—A newly issued notice of judgment of the department of agriculture states that the Vermont Maple Sugar Makers' Market, Randolph, Vt., pleaded guilty to the misbranding of maple syrup and was fined \$50. This corporation was alleged to have shipped in violation of the food and drugs act, from Vermont into the District of Columbia, a quantity of syrup labeled "Colonial Maple Syrup, prepared expressly for Woodward & Lothrop, Washington, D. C."

From analysis of a sample of the product made by the bureau of chemistry, it did not appear to be a high-grade syrup. It appeared to be a syrup which had undergone fermentation, and which had been bottled during which process it was burned. It was alleged that the product was adulterated and misbranded in that it was not maple syrup, but a by-product known as "buddy" syrup composed in part of filthy, putrid and decomposed animal or vegetable substance.

FATALLY HURT IN  
LEAP FROM TRAINOne Lyman Reform School Runaway Is  
Dead and Another Is Dying—  
Were Taking Free Ride.

Boston, Sept. 22.—Discovered by a brakeman of a train on which they were taking a free ride last night, Edwin Johnson, aged 15, and Joseph H. Cabral, aged 17, who escaped from the Lyman reform school for boys in Westboro, Sept. 17, jumped from the car steps, Cabral fatally killed, and Johnson was taken to the Boston City hospital suffering from skull and leg fractures. He is believed to be fatally hurt.

The accident occurred near the Riverside station of the Boston & Albany road. The boys had apparently boarded the train at Wellesley and were riding on the front platform.

## END IN SIGHT.

President Believes Tariff Bill Differences  
Will Soon Be Settled and Bill Signed.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 22.—The disputed points between the Senate and House in the tariff bill narrowed down to-day to such chief features as the income tax, the tax on cotton, and general administrative features. The Democratic managers expected to send a conference report to the House by Thursday. President Wilson told callers to-day that his conference with the leaders led him to believe that all differences will be smoothed out and that he would sign the bill this week.

HEAD-ON CRASH  
KILLED 3 TO-DAYAnd More Than 20 Were Injured at  
College Point, L. I.—Trains Were  
Going 40 Miles an Hour.

New York, Sept. 22.—Three persons were killed and more than 20 were injured in a head-on crash of two electric trains on the Long Island railroad at College Point, L. I. One of the persons injured may die. Most of the injured were mill employees, who were on the way to their places of employment. The crash occurred on a curve near the station. The trains were running 40 miles an hour. The steel cars buckled but did not telescope.

AGAIN ATTACK  
IMPEACHMENTSulzer's Attorneys Resume  
Claim That It Is Illegally  
BroughtTRIAL RESUMED  
THIS AFTERNOONIt Is Said That Both Sulzer  
and His Wife Will  
Testify

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 22.—No morning session of the Sulzer impeachment trial was held to-day, in accordance with the rules of the supreme court, which are being followed. At 2 this afternoon, Louis Marshall, for the defense, continued his argument on the points touching on the constitutionality of the adjournment of the Assembly in July, the failure of the assemblymen to receive notification that on the reconvening of the Assembly it would consider impeachment charges, and the constitutionality of the impeachment itself on the ground that it was brought while the Assembly was in extra session.

Speculation as to whether Governor Sulzer or his wife would testify at the trial was set at rest last night by a statement from an absolutely unquestionable source that nothing short of death can prevent either one from testifying in the constitutional objections of Sulzer's attorneys are overruled.

Friends of the governor in scores have advised him on this point. Many have insisted that he ignore the proceedings entirely in so far as being present himself was concerned. Others have insisted that even if the governor himself decided to testify, he should not permit Mrs. Sulzer to tell her story.

The governor has maintained from the start that he will tell the story of the alleged conspiracy which he insists, brought about his impeachment. Mrs. Sulzer's testimony has been considered too vital to the case of the defense to permit her to remain silent.

The governor has made the most extensive preparations for the presentation of his testimony. It will take the form of a narrative from the time, soon after his election, when he avers, Tammany hall and others began to bring pressure upon him to do their bidding.

He hopes to show, it is understood, that gradually he incurred the enmity of many of the men back of the present proceedings and the final break came only when he proved a hopeless tool. From that point he will narrate incidents that he believes will show the gradual crystallization of the impeachment proceedings, it is said.

## Bound to Testify.

Amazing revelations, which will involve a score or more of widely known Democratic politicians of the city of New York, are expected.

Henry L. Stoddard, editor of a New York evening newspaper, who spent the day with the governor, gave out the following statement upon leaving the executive mansion:

"The stories that are being circulated, and the distorted, and in many instances, false accounts of the testimony being taken in behalf of the board of managers, either in secret or public session, in the purpose of blackening Governor Sulzer's reputation and checking the wave of public sentiment that is spreading all over the state in his favor and which is evident to all of those who travel on the surface cars of New York City and in all public places where men gather together, as it is up to the state, where I see by the papers that indignation meetings are being held."

"The attempt to prevent additional articles of impeachment by the board of managers from the Assembly is an admission that they consider the present articles insufficient and that they cannot establish the truth of the charges made."

"The truth is that they knew when they prepared the articles of impeachment they were false and that they could not possibly know otherwise, but that when they charged him with preventing witnesses from giving testimony before the Fawley committee that it was false, and they had the evidence before them that it was false; that some of the witnesses that he was charged with preventing from testifying swore that the governor had told them to go before the committee; but it is useless to go on."

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## LIFE NEARLY FORFEITED.

Mrs. L. P. Cartier of Burlington Almost  
Asphyxiated.

Burlington, Sept. 22.—Because of a leak in a gas stove, Mrs. L. P. Cartier of 9 Center street was nearly overcome Saturday afternoon and was rescued only by the timely help of some neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Cartier had moved into the house only a few hours before and Mr. Cartier was called to Montpelier on business. Mrs. Cartier was left alone and lay down on a couch near the stove. The gas from the stove filled the room, when she was awakened and felt very ill. With difficulty she staggered upstairs and with her remaining strength rapped on the door with the apartments in the rear. The family there heard the call and came to her assistance. The services of a physician were summoned.

## Fire Patrol Called Off.

Because of the copious rains, which have been falling since the day and last night it will be unnecessary for the men who have acted as fire patrol among the stonewalled during the dry spell, to go on duty to-night. This was decided upon this afternoon.

AN APPEAL MADE  
TO SUPREME COURTBy Vermont Public Service Commission  
on Bill Brought by Rutland Rail-  
road on a New Station Order.

Brattleboro, Sept. 22.—The public service commission of Vermont has filed a motion to dismiss the bill brought by the Rutland Railroad Co. against the commission in the United States district court, which bill seeks to restrain the enforcement of the commission's order directing the building of a new station at Vergennes.

There was a hearing on this motion before the United States district court at the judge's chambers Saturday, A. V. D. Piper of Brattleboro appearing for the commission, and the motion was overruled. At this hearing, the commission was granted leave to withdraw its answer, which it did, and then took exception to the overruling of its motion. The exception was allowed and a decree entered against the commission, from all of which the commission is filing an appeal from the United States district court of Vermont direct to the supreme court of the United States, and this appeal, when decided, will finally test the jurisdiction of the United States district court to review, restrain or otherwise act upon the orders of the commission. A motion will be made to advance the case upon the calendar of the supreme court in order to secure hearing and possible determination at the term which opens in October.

Robert C. Bacon, chairman of the commission, yesterday issued the following statement:

"The commission withdrew its formal answer to the bill brought by the Rutland Railroad company and permitted judgment to be entered thereon when its motion was overruled for the purpose of fairly testing before the U. S. supreme court on direct appeal, whether the commission shall exercise control of Vermont's public utility corporations with its authority over the public service corporations of the state, subject to a review by the state courts and with the right of final review by the United States supreme court on writ of error directed to the state supreme court, where a federal constitutional question is involved, without being subjected to a preliminary review by the district court of the United States seeking to enjoin this commission and have that court review its proceedings."

"The laws of Vermont provide for an appeal from any of the orders of the commission to the Vermont supreme court and also provide that, if necessary, requires the supreme court or any justice thereof may restrain the enforcement of any order pending this appeal. The law also provides that if the guarantees of the federal constitution are infringed by the orders of the commission, that the person aggrieved may, by writ of error, eventually obtain review of the proceedings before the supreme court of the United States."

"The public service commission of Vermont is firmly of the belief that the law does not contemplate a review by its order, nor an attempt to prevent their enforcement, by any other procedure than by the one before mentioned, and believes in the soundness of its position to the extent that it proposes to test the question before the United States supreme court at this time as the issue has been squarely tendered by the Rutland Railroad company in this case."

"If the law is as claimed by the Rutland railroad company and the method of procedure had which the Rutland Railroad company is attempting to establish, it would seem that every order of the public service commission which involves property exceeding in value \$3,000 would immediately become reviewable before and subject to at least temporary restraint by the United States district court and the work of the commission seriously hampered. A large portion of this work is concerning matters involving more than \$3,000; every grade crossing elimination is in this class; about every change or alteration in the rates of public service corporations are included; nearly every question on the issue of securities is involved. The commission will be relegated to the position of exercising about the same power as those of a Vermont justice court, and practically the only matters that it could determine without possible restraint by the federal court would be in the nature of informal complaints concerning the condition of railroad toilets and the occasional setting of a telephone pole if this contention of the Rutland Railroad company is finally sustained."

"A square conflict is presented as to whether Vermont can regulate its internal affairs in its own courts, subject to review by the United States supreme court as to constitutionality guarantees, or whether the federal courts can regulate the administrative machinery of Vermont without the matter coming before our state courts of law."

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\$10,000 FARM LOSS  
AT EAST MONKTONIncluded in the Loss To-day Were 23  
Cows and Several More Head  
of Live Stock.

Bristol, Sept. 22.—A barn at East Monkton, owned by E. D. Lamb, was destroyed by fire to-day with all its contents, including 23 cows, three calves, a mare and her colt, four pigs, 100 tons of hay, a threshing machine and many farming tools. The loss is \$10,000. The rain prevented the spread of the flames to the other buildings.

## HARVARD CLUB MEETS.

Entertained at the Residence of Clarence  
Morgan in Shelburne.

Shelburne, Sept. 22.—Seventeen members of the Harvard club of Vermont held their fifth annual meeting Saturday at the home of Clarence Morgan in this town. Previous to the business meeting Mr. Morgan entertained his guests at luncheon. W. B. C. Stickney was re-elected president of the club and J. T. Stearns of Burlington was induced to continue in the office of secretary and treasurer. Clarence Morgan was elected vice-president to succeed Dr. W. H. Stevens of St. Albans, who expects to move his legal residence to Massachusetts. Speeches serious and less serious were made by incoming and outgoing officers. New members were voted in. Various business was discussed, including questions arising in connection with the scholarship for a Vermont boy which the association maintains at Harvard. L. C. Clark extended an invitation to the club to meet next year at his place in Burlington.

Members present beside the host were: W. B. C. Stickney of Bethel, Dr. W. H. Stevens of St. Albans, F. E. Fleetwood of Morrisville, the Rev. W. M. Mayhew of East Highgate, Dr. H. H. Yarrington, Dr. P. M. Williams and Dr. W. J. Scott of Rutland, T. R. Powell of New York, W. B. Howe, H. B. Shaw, the Rev. C. J. Staples, S. R. Moulton, J. T. Stearns, Prof. Allison W. Slocum, F. H. Dewart and Levi P. Smith of Burlington.

NURSE STABBED  
BY CRAZY MANMiss Doris Robinson of  
Malden, Mass., Victim  
Early To-dayASSAILANT FLED  
AND IS AT LARGEMan Supposed to Be Insane  
Was Hidden in Medi-  
cine Closet

Malden, Mass., Sept. 22.—Miss Doris Robinson, a nurse at the Malden hospital, was stabbed while on duty early to-day by an unknown man, who is supposed to have been insane. The intruder was hidden in a medicine closet, and when Miss Robinson opened the door, the man stabbed her twice near the heart. Then the assailant jumped through a window of the hospital and escaped. The condition of Miss Robinson is reported to be critical.

SHOTS PASSED CLOSE  
TO ORANGE MANHunter Fired Twice When Asked to  
Leave Premises of Luther Lord

Yesterday.

Orange, Sept. 22.—Hearing shooting upon his premises, which are posted, Sunday noon, Luther Lord started to investigate. He soon found a man, who is said to have been a foreigner, carrying a rifle. On being requested to leave the premises, the man fired twice, both bullets going near Mr. Lord's head. Then the man ran into the woods.

An officer was called, but the trespasser could not be found. Some of the citizens in town say they will not trouble to call an officer in such cases, but will adopt the motto of "Get the other fellow before he gets you."

## CARSON-FALLON.

Former Barre Man Married at Newport,  
R. I.

The following clipping from Thursday, September 18, issue of the Newport, R. I. Herald, will be of interest to Barre people: "The marriage of Miss Winifred Mariah Fallon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fallon of this city, to William McClellan Carson, U. S. N., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Carson of Barre, Vt., took place at the rectory of St. Augustine's church last evening at 8 o'clock. The bride looked very pretty in a suit of taupe broadcloth and a black picture hat with plumes. Miss Mary Edna Cullinan, an intimate friend of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore pink voile over pink satin and a white hat. Joseph P. Fallon, a brother of the bride, acted as best man. After the ceremony a reception was given at the home of the bride's parents at 20 Simmons street. The bride's gift to her bridesmaid was a sapphire pendant, and the groom gave his best man a set of diamond cuff links. Mr. and Mrs. Carson left on the Fall River line from New York and thence to Vermont to the home of the groom. They will leave in a month for Detroit, Mich., where the groom is stationed at a recruiting office. The young couple were given a send-off long to be remembered, by the employees of the M. J. Doran company, who were engaged in making a milliner. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, among which was a chest of silver from the clerks of the M. J. Doran company."

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Mr. Winter was survived by his wife; by one daughter, Mrs. Lyma C. Hurd, of this city; by a brother, Edward Winter, of Los Angeles, Cal.; and by several half-sisters.

The funeral services will be held privately Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the apartment, and the interment will be in Lake View cemetery.

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## PROMINENT PLAINFIELD MAN.

Dr. F. P. Gale Died Last Night—Funeral  
Wednesday.

Plainfield, Sept. 22.—Dr. F. P. Gale died last night at 11 o'clock at his home in this place, after a serious illness of ten days with asthma and heart trouble. For several years his health had not been of the best. His death removes one from the town who will be sorely missed.

Dr. Gale was born in Plainfield, the son of Sullivan and Laura (Bailey) Gale, May 5, 1853, and after completing his education in the lower schools graduated from the medical department of the University of Vermont in 1880. He continued his studies with Dr. F. W. Lazelle of Plainfield and Dr. Wiswell of Cabot, and began his practice of medicine in the latter place, being settled later in Barre, Port Payne, Ala., and since then at Plainfield.

He married Miss May Nevins of Cabot and she survives him, with one daughter, Mrs. Ella (Gale) Bolles, a nurse at Heaton hospital, who cared for him during his last illness. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Ephesia Spencer of Barre, Mrs. Mary Sherburne of Montpelier and Mrs. George Dodge of Montpelier; also two brothers, Charles and Burt Gale of Montpelier, besides several nephews and nieces.

During Dr. Gale's long life in Plainfield he had made friends of all and in the twelve or fifteen years' practice of medicine here since his return from Port Payne he has won the sincere love of his townspeople, both in sickness and health, being known as everybody's friend. Wealth or poverty made no difference to him if he was needed professionally and he was willing to go anywhere that he might alleviate suffering. The community is saddened with its loss.

The funeral will be held from the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## FORMER CONSTABLE NICHOLS.

Died This Morning After Illness Cover-  
ing Two Years.

Marcus B. Nichols, aged 67, for years a respected citizen of Barre and a former constable, died shortly after 7:30 this morning at his home, 9 Richardson street. Death followed an illness that extended over a period of nearly two years.

Mr. Nichols was born in Moretown on June 8, 1846, and received his education in the public schools of that town, where he resided until he was 18 years of age, when he went to Philadelphia and became a stationary engineer. He remained in Philadelphia until 1888 when he came to Barre town and bought the old Gale farm near the Bolster place. He came to what is now the city in 1893, following his occupation of stationary engineer.

In the spring of 1905 Mr. Nichols was elected to the office of first constable, which office he filled until last spring when impaired health caused him to retire as a candidate.

In fraternal life Mr. Nichols was a member of Barre council, No. 401, Knights of Columbus. He was a member of St. Monica's church and was one of the most diligent workers in the parish.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Hannah Nichols, aged 93, of Williamstown; his wife, who was Miss Mary Ellen of Philadelphia, to whom he was married on October 7, 1863; four daughters, Mrs. Joseph Papin, Mrs. Roy Bugbee, Miss Marguerite and Miss Sue Nichols, all of Barre; one sister, Mrs. C. D. Carpenter of Barre; and four brothers, John Nichols of South Barre, Frank Nichols of Williamstown, Henry Nichols of Perry, Iowa, and L. P. Nichols of Westfield, Mass.

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First PositionJUDGE TAYLOR  
TAKES POWERS' PLACEFormer Lieut.-Gov. L. P.  
Slack Becomes Superior  
Court Judge

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John W. Rowell of Randolph as chief justice of the Vermont supreme court, Governor Fletcher has appointed George M. Powers of Morrisstown, at present the junior member of the court, and to complete the supreme court bench he has appointed William H. Taylor of Hardwick, now a judge of the Vermont superior court, and has elevated former Lieut.-Gov. Leighton P. Slack of St. Johnsbury to the superior court. The announcement was given to the public to-day.

The new chief justice is the son of former Congressman H. H. Powers of the first district. He is 52 years of age, having been born in Hyde Park on December 19, 1861. He was graduated from the University of Vermont in the class of 1883 and received the degree of doctor of laws from the same institution in 1909. He was admitted to the Vermont bar in 1886.

Judge Powers, in the years of his youth and early manhood, had considerable experience at the State House in Montpelier. He was messenger of the Senate in 1872 and 1874. He was assistant clerk of the House in 1884, 1886 and 1888 and secretary of the Senate in 1890, 1892 and 1894. Also in 1886-88 he was a member of the House.

In connection with his life work, he became state's attorney for Lamoille county in 1888, serving two years. In 1902 he was made reporter of decisions of the Vermont supreme court, serving until 1904, when he became a member of the court itself through appointment by Governor McCullough, on June 7. He held that position until 19